

approved 7/14/14

Winterville Library Advisory Board Meeting

April 14, 2014

Meeting was called to order by Carol Hodges. Those in attendance were: Carol Hodges, Ann Pressy, Sheila Coffeen, Linda Jones, Toby Mayfield, and Donna Brumby.

No minutes to approve from October meeting. None from January, since Carol was the only one in attendance.

Ann asked about Christmas party and Carol asked for more help.

Old Business:

1. Request from the board that the library be closed for the Marigold Festival May 17th. This motion was approved.

New Business:

1. Ann Pressey and Leita Cobb's positions need to be filled as their terms are expiring. Discussed the process for replacement. A) City hall needs to be told about positions. B) Set date to close accepting applications (July 15) C) Put application in the city newsletter D) Interview applicants E) Send approval letter F) New members go before city council
2. Toby's report- Winterville Library is getting a new HVAC under MMR grant.
3. Linda's report- Met last Monday with ACC Library board. May 17th granted permission for the library to be closed for the Marigold Festival. New Georgia house bill 60 allows for guns to be brought into libraries. A petition was signed against this. Someone complained about the movie "Eyes Wide Shut". Friends of the ACC library raised over \$14,000 at the book sale. May 14th will be the dedication of the public art, this will begin at 11 am. April 25th Friends of Georgia Libraries will hold a workshop from 9:30-3:00. Interviewing for a new director. Cathryn Ames is retiring after 41 years as director.
4. Donna's report- gave hand out of Mrs. Ames director report to review. \$0 budgeted for purchase of library books. January 1st computers were upgraded from 5 megabyte to 20. Two new computers were purchased from the Maintenance/Repair/Renovation grant. Hopefully we will get more new computers in the future. The Oconee/Bogart librarian is retiring at the end of May. The Madison County librarian position became available and Kim James ACC current children's librarian accepted the position. Celebrated ACC library's 101st birthday party last Saturday.
5. FOWL -none to report.

Other Business- Next meeting July 14th. Meeting was adjourned.

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correction 10/10/13/14

Winterville Library Advisory Board Meeting

July 14, 2014

Attendance: Ann Pressey, Sheila Coffeen, Linda Jones, Carol Hodges, Dodd Ferrelle, Toby Mayfield, Donna Brumby

Carol Hodges called the meeting to order.

Minutes from the October and April meeting were reviewed and approved.

Old Business:

No applications have been received for new board members. Discussed posting it on Winterville Library Facebook page. The application is available online. Deadline was extended to August 15, 2014. New board members need to be approved by the city council in September. Ann stated that the mayor should write a letter to the incoming members. Should have her write one approving all board members at the same time.

Library was closed May 17th for the Marigold Festival after being approved by the board.

New Business:

Toby's report - summer stats are up. Family game night in April was a success. Lego club met April 19th, May 6th, & June 21st. Most of April was spent preparing for the Marigold Festival and summer reading program-Fizz, Boom, READ! Because this year was Winterville Library's 40th anniversary, former Winterville librarians rode the train in the Marigold parade. Athens Regional Library director, Kathryn Ames was the Grand Marshall. 26 patrons represented the library dressed as their favorite book character or as mad scientists. The library won blue ribbon for Most Creative Children. After the parade, set up at the Front Porch Bookstore to sign kids up for the summer reading program. 75 kids signed up and 21 teens. May 19th kicked off the search for Beaker. Every Monday at 3pm, May 19-Aug 10, clues will be posted to help find Beaker, who is hidden in 12 locations across Winterville. There are 255 participants trying to find Beaker. Summer reading performances kicked off with The Happy Hands Band. There were 14 children and 9 adults in attendance. The first Spark a Reaction teen night was held May 23 in collaboration with Lauren Knowlton from the Athens Library. Food science night for kids was a success. May 28th was a special story time and open play featuring video of Kevin Henkes' *Chrysanthemum*. 42 kids and 27 adults showed up. June 3rd, Big Thinkers Science Exploration came out and shared some science experiments. There were 26 in attendance. June 10th was drumming with Dr. Scott. There were 50 in attendance. June 14, 2014 Friends of Winterville Library hosted 40th Birthday Party for the library. Former librarians were invited. 131 patrons attended. June 17th was music show with Mr. Richard. He donated his children's book *Dreaming of the Red Coat Band*. 30 patrons attended. June 20th was the second Spark a Reaction teen night. They watched anime, made candy sushi, folded origami and learned to use chopsticks. 6 were in attendance. June 24th was the Family Music Jam & Sing-a-Long with Miss Rebecca from the Athens Library. 23 were in attendance.

Donna's report - the library has a new downloadable magazine service called Zinio. There are currently 58 available magazine titles. You can go through the library's website and follow the instructions to download the application. August 21st the mobile computer lab will be in Winterville to help instruct people to use this service.

Linda's report – the Athens-Clarke library meeting mostly discussed House Bill 60, which went into effect July 1, 2014. This bill allows those licensed to carry a firearm, entry into any government building that does not have metal detectors and security guard. Hoping that libraries will be put in the same categories as schools. Through amazonsmile.com, amazon will donate 5% of eligible purchases to Friends of Athens-Clarke county library. Janitorial services were changed to Wright & Wright. Happy Birthday Harry Potter will be July 31st at 10:30 am.

FOWL report – Friends of Winterville Library set up at the libraries 40th anniversary party and signed up new participants. They have also built a new stage at the Front Porch Bookstore.

Other Business:

Athens Library has their quarterly meeting the 3rd Thursday of each month.

Looking for ideas for more adult programming at the Winterville library.

September 8th Mary Quinn & Emily Foley will discuss their book "Winterville a Railroad Town"

Jack Eisman will discuss winter gardening, date will be set at a later time.

Next meeting will be October 14th.

Meeting was adjourned.

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Approved 1-12-15



Winterville Library Advisory Board Meeting
October 13, 2014

Meeting was called to order by Carol Hodges. Those in attendance were: Carol Hodges, Walker McNiff, Linda Jones, Toby Mayfield and Donna Brumby.

Minutes were reviewed and approved with correction of next meeting date. Motion made by Linda Jones, Walker McNiff second the motion.

We welcomed our newest Board member, Walker McNiff.

Old Business:

Had one application at the time and that was Walker McNiff. Wendy ran the notice again in the newsletter for application for the Advisory Board.

Have one position to be filled. Discussion to talk to some of the old members to see if any of them were interested.

Zinio up and running.

New Business:

Toby's Report: Grant for repairs Windows- Final bids taken

Donna's Report: Lots of exciting things happening. STEM--Science TechEngineering Mathematics

Linda's Report: Meeting 10-14 By-laws and constitution final draft not approved

FOWL- none to report

Other business:

Christmas- Need more volunteers, Carol will ask if FOWL can help.

Party planned 12-18-14. Will need snacks no nuts. Will ask Dodd to lead singing, Sheila to bring Hot chocolate, Carol will bring Cupcakes, Linda Juice and Walker and Toby Cookies.

Meeting adjourned. Next Meeting January 12, 2015

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